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"There can be no genuine, permanent, abiding peace," he declared, "until the award is supplanted by a direct joint agreement."

Taking up the question of treating with the organization Mr. White said: "The sole question involved is, 'will you treat with your own employees through their organization?'"

The miners' president condemned the conciliation board, which was created by the strike commission, as impracticable. Mr. White said that the anthracite miner, considering the hazard and importance of his occupation, is the poorest paid class of labor in America today.

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Ray Woerner, aged 17, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gust Woerner, was badly hurt last evening while near the corner of Kindred avenue and Second avenue. According to Gust Woerner the aggressor was Clifford O'Connor, aged 19, who struck his son on the head with a club and felled him to the ground. Woerner was unconscious for several hours and was taken to the Northwestern hospital.

Notice M. W. A.

All members are cordially invited to be present at the next regular meeting Friday evening, April 12th, to hear State Deputy Reilly, of St. Paul, who will be here and will fully explain the new rate plan.

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April 10, 1912, maximum tempera-  
ture, 78 degrees above zero.

April 11, 1912, minimum tempera-  
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The U. S. weather bureau forecast:  
"Unsettled weather with prob-  
ably local showers tonight or Friday.  
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### LOCAL NEWS NOTES

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Gary Heald came from Hubert this  
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The arrangements and program planned for the entertainment of President Vincent, of the University of Minnesota, on the occasion of his address at the Brainerd Commercial Club on Friday, April 12, include the following:

President Vincent will be brought to Brainerd in the private car of W. H. Gemmell and will have luncheon in the car, arriving in Brainerd at 2:20 P. M.

He will be met at the car by a reception committee consisting of Carl Apple, W. H. Gemmell, Mayor H. F. Dunn, R. R. Wise, Supt. W. C. Cobb, George D. LaBar, N. H. Ingersoll, A. Halsted, Dr. J. L. Camp, Con'Brien, S. F. Alderman, Senator G. Johnson and C. A. Allbright.

At 3 P. M. President Vincent will address the children at the opera house, preparations for this having been made by the school board.

After the completion of the city school program Pres. Vincent will be seated to the Commercial club rooms where he will meet the Brainerd alumni.

He will then accept the hospitality of Supt. W. C. Cobb and have dinner in his home, and will return by auto to the Commercial club room in time for the evening program which is to begin at 8 P. M.

The evening program will be presided over by Carl Zappfe, president of the Commercial club. 400 chairs have been placed in the hall to accommodate the visitors. The rooms will be decorated in the Minnesota colors and banners. Each member of the club has been allowed four tickets or admission.

W. H. Gemmell, the oldest Minnesota alumnus in the city, will make a brief address in behalf of the alumni. All Minnesota alumni will attend in body and will occupy a separate section.

Pres. Vincent will then make his address, the subject of which has not been announced.

After the address an informal reception will be tendered the present.

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**RUMORS OF POPE'S DEATH UNFOUNDED****Special to Dispatch:**

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President Vincent will be brought Brainerd in the private car of W. Gemmell and will have luncheon in the car, arriving in Brainerd at 2:0 P. M.

He will be met at the car by a reception committee consisting of Carl Zapffe, W. H. Gemmell, Mayor H. P. Dunn, R. R. Wise, Supt. W. C. Cobb, George D. LaBar, N. H. Ingersoll, A. Halsted, Dr. J. L. Camp, Con'Brien, S. F. Alderman, Senator C. Johnson and C. A. Albright.

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After the completion of the city school program Pres. Vincent will be escorted to the Commercial club rooms where he will meet the Brainerd alumni.

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The evening program will be presided over by Carl Zapffe, president of the Commercial club. 400 chairs have been placed in the hall to accommodate the visitors. The rooms will be decorated in the Minnesota colors and banners. Each member of the club has been allowed four tickets or admission.

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"Miss Witham recited 'The Sign of the Cross,' by Barrett, the piece which won her first place in the Deadwood contest held here a week ago Friday evening. Since that date she has had additional time to prepare herself for the more important contest and her work showed improvement in more than one particular. Her success is due not only to her own ability in dramatic art, but to the excellent instruction of Mrs. Joseph Stelzl, of Deadwood, under whose direction Miss Witham was prepared for both contests and who will also coach her for the state competition at Vermillion. Mrs. Stelzl and Miss Witham will return on the Burlington this afternoon from Spearfish, and it is understood the Deadwood high school pupils are planning a demonstration in their honor."

### Card of Thanks

We herewith wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends and the members of the congregation for their sympathy and help offered and rendered during our sad experience we were called on to pass through in the death of our dear son Leonard.

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### Obituary

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### Attention Comrades

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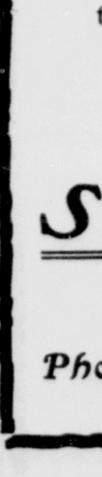
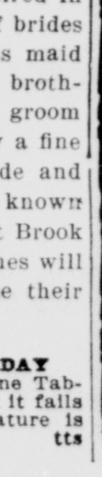
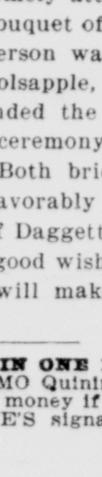
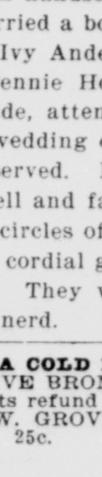
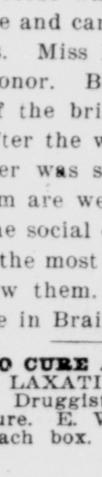
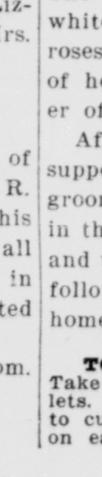
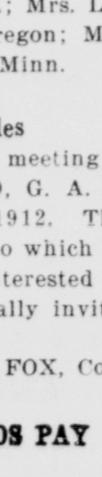
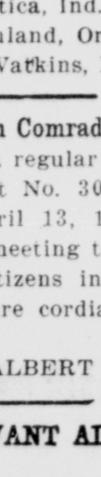
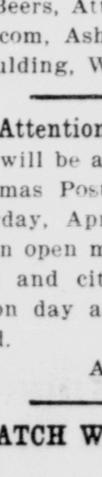
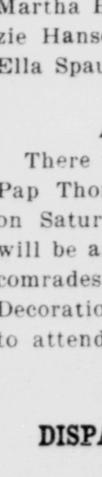
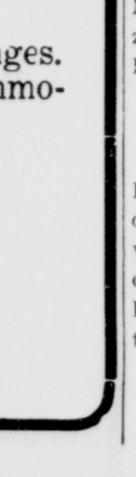
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Five days thereafter the clerk returns a copy of such list, together with a citation to all persons interested to show cause why judgment should not be entered against each tract or lot of land. Publication of the notice and list is made by the county auditor, and 20 days after the expiration of the notice the clerk enters judgment against each tract or lot as to which no defense is made for the taxes, penalties and costs.

On the first Monday in May following, the county auditor sells at public vendue all tracts of land against which judgment has been entered, first giving 10 days notice thereof. Each tract or lot is sold separately and a certificate of sale issued to the purchaser. Three years thereafter, unless the land be redeemed, the purchaser of the tax certificate or the assignee, upon complying with certain legal requirements, becomes the absolute owner of the property.

In the case of delinquent personal property taxes, the county treasurer is required on the fifth secular day of April to file with the clerk of the district court a list of all personal property taxes remaining unpaid on April 1, and 10 days later, the clerk of the court issues warrants to the sheriff of the county directing him to proceed to collect the same by the seizure and sale of any personal property owned by the delinquent.

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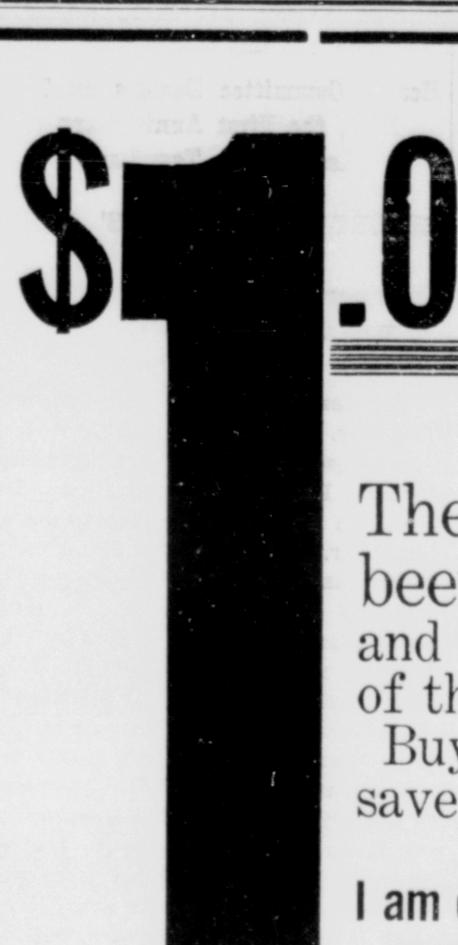
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